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Re: *In re: Johnson & Johnson Talcum Powder Products Marketing, Sales Practices, and Products Liability Litigation, MDL No. 2738*

Your Honors:

As you are aware, this firm, together with Gordon & Rees LLP is counsel for Defendant Imerys Talc America, Inc. I write to advise that I will be taking a Leave of Absence from my firm to care for my mother who has been ill. My Partner Mark Silver, Esq. will assume all responsibilities in my place as Liaison Counsel for Imerys. Should the Court, or any Counsel require any assistance, please contact Mr. Silver.

Thank you for your time and courtesies.

Respectfully submitted,
COUGHLIN DUFFY LLP
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